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In re Application of: HOUIS et al. DEC 1 8 2000 Art Unit: 1732 Application No. 09/645,777 Examiner: Unassigned Filed: August 25, 2000 For: **BLOW-MOULDED ARTICLES AND BLOW-MOULDING METHODS** FOR PRODUCING THEM **Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks** Washington, D.C. 20231 RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS Applicant hereby responds to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application dated October 17, 2000. The items checked below are appropriate: 1. Status of Applicant This application is on behalf of \boxtimes other than a small entity or \square a small entity. 2. **Fees** Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for \boxtimes other than a small entity or a small entity. Fee Due \$130.00 CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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		Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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